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Team Beale mourns loss of Airman

By Maj. Bob Couse-Baker
940th Air Refueling Wing Public Affairs

Airmen here are mourning the loss of Capt. Heidi Palmer, 30, an Air Force Reservist assigned to the 940th Civil Engineer Squadron, who died March 15 in a traffic accident while on duty in Honduras.

The minivan in which she was traveling was struck head-on by a heavy truck, instantly killing Captain Palmer.

Another Airman in the minivan was also killed, and a third was seriously injured. The injured Airman was taken to a local hospital for treatment and is expected to recover. Neither of the other two Airmen are assigned to Beale.

Honduran and American officials are investigating the accident, which occurred near the city of La Ceiba on the Central American nation's Caribbean coast.

Captain Palmer was deployed in support of New Horizons 2006, a joint training exercise

between the U.S. military and the Honduran government. They were assigned to Joint Task Force "Asegurar el Futuro" (Securing the future).

As the officer in charge of a flight of Air Force civil engineers, she was helping build a school in a rural village while on her annual two-week tour of active-duty training.

Captain Palmer has been in the Air Force Reserve for almost a year. Previously, she had served on active duty here at Beale and at Eielson AFB, Alaska.

"Heidi and her family are in our prayers. We'll do what we can to help her family through this difficult time," said Col. James L. Kerr, commander of the Air Force Reserve's 940th Air Refueling Wing.

"We will greatly miss her professionalism and enthusiasm," he said.

A memorial service for Captain Palmer will be held Saturday at 1 p.m. at the Valley Chapel. Servicemembers are asked to wear their duty uniforms.



Capt. Heidi Palmer

Base welcomes new Beale High Flyer

By Airman Robert Biermann
9th RW Public Affairs

The mighty warriors of the 9th Reconnaissance Wing surprised one of its community leaders by honoring her as the 5th Beale High Flyer at the Commanders' Luncheon, March 23 at the Recce Point Club.

"I don't know what to say," said Fran Peace, Beale Military Liaison Committee member and District Director for Congressman Wally Herger's

office. "You can not do enough for Beale and I wish there was more I could do for all of you. You're not part of a job here, you are a passion. Thank you so much for the honor and I will do my best to live up to it."

Ms. Peace received the mark of distinction under the wing commander's "High Flyer" program recognizing community leaders who are making a real difference on the base and in the community.

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Beale warriors bring home wins at 8th Air Force level

By Airman 1st Class George Cloutier
9th RW Public Affairs

The 8th Air Force has recently recognized two outstanding individuals from Team Beale.

Mickey Hook, 9th Civil Engineer Squadron firefighter and Senior Airman Bryce Wadell, 9th CES operations management apprentice, were awarded 8th Air Force Junior Civilian of the Year and 8th Air Force Airman of the Year respectively.

"This recognition means a lot to me," Airman Wadell said. "I am honored and humbled by these experiences. Professionally, it

has opened my eyes of understanding to different areas of the Air Force and to educate me on the history of the 8th Air Force. On a personal level, my wife and I have been overwhelmed with the outpouring of support and encouragement to continue my career in the Air Force. Our senior leadership here at Beale has truly gone out of their way to accommodate us, and that means a lot to me."

"Personally, receiving this award has been very satisfying," Mr. Hook said. "Like the other firefighters in my department, I go to work each day and do the very best job that I can. It's nice to be recognized for my contributions. This award also allowed me the op-

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to set clocks one hour
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Brig. Gen. Lawrence Wells, 9th RW commander, tangles with military working dog, Ffella, while Staff Sgt. Scott Pfister, 9th Security Forces Squadron MWD handler keeps a close watch. (Photo by John Schwab)

There's plenty to do at Beale

*By Airman 1st Class
George Cloutier
9th RW Public Affairs*

Being a dorm dweller, I spend a lot of time on base. I work on base, sleep on base and even eat on base just about every day.

It's not just us dwellers either that get our fair share of the local scenery. People in housing have much the same deal as well.

For a while I was going all over northern California in search of something to take up the time. Gas isn't free though, and long hours of driving quickly got old.

When I started looking around for things to do on base, I doubted I would really find much, or much that was interesting to me anyway. Come to find out, there's actually quite a bit out there.

Starting with a place that probably everyone has been to at some time or another, the Harris Fitness Center offers more than just treadmills

and barbells. You can find out about programs they offer right at the front desk, or just look around on the walls in the hallways where they post flyers for most of their programs. Some of their more popular programs include the Beale Cup, intramural sports and cardio kick boxing aerobics. Just as a heads up, we may be seeing varsity sports programs soon.

Another cool place that I think is a little lesser known is the Rod and Gun club. I grew up with guns, and not to be cheesy, but they can be a blast. I can spend hours shooting skeet, or I guess what people around here call trap. That's where you blast a clay Frisbee looking thing out of the air with a shotgun. There's a lot of satisfaction in seeing one of those things turn into dust. It's a great deal actually, you can rent the shotgun for free, the ammo is only about five bucks a box and another couple bucks for 25 rounds of trap. They also

have .22 rifles that are free to rent, and the ammo is really cheap. They have a 9mm and a .22 caliber handgun that can be rented for only two dollars. If you play paintball, they have that stuff too; guns, ammo and all.

If you want to see California but don't want to drive all over the place yourself, check out the trips the Outdoor Adventure Center has going on. The OAC hosts trips just about every weekend, to places like Napa Valley, Pier 39 and Lake Tahoe. If you have a trip in mind, you can also schedule your own as long as it's legal, reasonable and it fits their schedule. They are also going to be starting up their white-water rafting program soon. Rafting trips tend to get booked up fast, so sign up early.

If you have technical skills, there's always the Auto Hobby Shop. If you want to lift it, lower it, change your exhaust or intake, realign your front end, or whatever,

you can do it there. They have the tools and lifts to get it done; all you do is pay a small fee for the space. They also have mechanics that can do jobs for you, and at about half the price of what you would pay downtown. They even offer a discount on parts, and if they don't have them, they can order them for you.

There is much more than that too. These are just some of the things that happen on a regular basis. Keep your eyes open and check out bulletin boards posted around base for information on special events. The Club often holds such special events that can be rather entertaining. If you don't see anything that sounds especially interesting to you, try bringing your ideas to services and make it happen.

With all of these options, there really isn't any reason to be bored. Understandably, not everything is for someone, but there is something for everyone.

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	1st RS	99th RS
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Goal	82	328
Flown	63	247
Ahead/Behind	-8	-34

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WHERE IN THE WORLD IS TEAM BEALE?



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Mickey Hook, 9th Civil Engineer Squadron firefighter, Senior Airman Bryce Wadell, 9th CES operations management apprentice, and Brig. Gen. Lawrence Wells, 9th Reconnaissance Wing commander, pose for a picture after the 8th Air Force awards banquet. (Courtesy photo)

portunity to travel to Louisiana and represent Beale Air Force Base. I was able to spend time talking with people like (former Los Angeles Dodgers Hall of Fame manager) Tommy Lasorda, General Wells, and the other commanders of the 8th Air Force as well as other nominees. Professionally, I hope that my receiving this award will let other firefighters in my department know that our efforts don't go unnoticed. When one of us is honored, we all are."

So what does one have to do to receive such an honor?

"I really don't think I did anything special," Mr. Hook said. "I do my job to the best of my ability every day. I take classes that I think will help me to become better at my duties, and I continuously work with my colleagues to improve my skills."

To achieve such success, both award winners received help from friends, family and

co-workers.

"My co-workers, supervisor and my family have all contributed to this award as they each, in their own ways, encourage me in my goals," Airman Wadell said.

"Everyone from the fire chief to my fellow firefighters helped me to achieve this recognition," Mr. Hook said. "We work as a team."

For others who may aspire to similar achievements of their own, this is what today's winners have to say.

"I believe that as soon as an Airman can adapt to the Air Force core values of Integrity and Service by making this a part of their character, they will begin to excel in all they do," Airman Wadell said.

"I would say to keep your focus on your job," Mr. Hook said. "Take advantage of every opportunity that comes your way. Keep learning. Look for ways to improve, and try to do your job a little bit better every day."

Beale's First Sergeant's Council

Diamond Tips

Hair Bulk: Men's hair is limited to 1 1/4 inches in bulk. Women's hair is limited to 3 inches in bulk. Bulk is how far the hair protrudes from the scalp on the top and sides. Note: A pony-tail or "bun" is part of the bulk measurement. Women's hair may not hang below the back of the shirt collar. Hair-styles must allow for proper wear and fit of head-gear. (Source: AFI 36-2903) Questions? Contact your First Sergeant.



WARRIOR SPOTLIGHT

Senior Airman Jon Mendez

Unit: 9th Physiological Support Squadron

Job: Aerospace physiology apprentice

Hometown: Edmonds, Wash.

Air Force goals: To achieve the rank of master sergeant or higher, to better my career and learn skills that I can use in the future

Time in the Air Force: Four years

Hobbies: Sports -- football and basketball, and coaching a Rocklin basketball league

The thing I like best about Beale

AFB: I love the mission and the job. The 9th PSPTS mission is well-respected, and it feels good to be part of an elite team!



Senior Airman Jon Mendez, 9th Physiological Support Squadron, checks a full-pressure suit for leaks. (Photo by Airman 1st Class George Cloutier)

Legal office offers election season advice

By 9th RW Judge Advocates Office

This year's election season is quickly approaching and the base Legal Office offers several reminders and general guidance on the scope of political activities by Air Force members and Department of Defense civilian employees. Political activities of active-duty members are governed by federal statutes, DoD Directive 1344.10, and AFI 51-902, Political Activities by Members of the Armed Forces on Active Duty.

Similarly, political activities of DoD civilian employees are governed by the Hatch Act, related statutes, and implementing regulations. Note that nothing in this article is intended to encourage or discourage employees' participation in political activities.

As a matter of long-standing DoD policy, AD members acting in their official capacity may not engage in any activity that could be interpreted as associating the Air Force with any partisan political cause, issue, or candidate. Other prohibited activities include distributing partisan political campaign materials on base, using your official position to influence elections, solicit votes for a particular candidate or issue, or solicit political contributions from others.

Furthermore, AF members may not attend partisan or nonpartisan political gatherings while in uniform, and may not appear in campaign advertisements while in uniform. Air Force members are also prohibited from speaking before a partisan political gathering of any kind promoting a political candidate or issue.

However, AD members are permitted to register to

vote, vote, and privately express personal opinions on political candidates and issues. Air Force officers, however, should be aware that expressing "contemptuous words" against certain office holders may result in disciplinary action under Article 88 of the Uniform Code of Military Justice. The officials protected by this provision include the President, the Vice President, Congress, the Secretary of Defense, the Secretary of Transportation, the Secretaries of the Military Departments, as well as the Governor or legislature of any State, Territory, Commonwealth or possession in which the member is present for duty.

Other permitted activities include writing letters to the editors of periodicals expressing their personal views on public issues or political candidates, so long as such action is not part of an organized letter-writing campaign or concerted solicitation of votes for or against a political party or partisan political cause or candidate.

Members may also make monetary contributions to a political organization, party, or committee favoring a particular candidate or slate of candidates subject to limitations on dollar amounts under 2 U.S.C. 441a. Additionally, Air Force personnel may attend political meetings or rallies as spectators in civilian attire, and display political bumper stickers on their private vehicles.

Like AD members, DoD civilian employees are subject to certain limits on their participation in political activities. In general terms, civilian employees must take care that such participation does not create a real or apparent conflict of interest with the full and impartial performance of their official duties.

DoD civilian employees are prohibited from engaging in political activity while on duty, in a government office, building, or vehicle. Employees are also prohibited from engaging in political activity while wearing an official uniform or displaying official insignia identifying the office or position of the DoD employee.

Furthermore, DoD civilian employees may not solicit political contributions from the general public, or knowingly solicit or discourage the political activity of any person who has business with the DoD. Also, DoD civilian employees may not be candidates for public office in partisan elections.

Some of the political activities in which DoD civilian employees may participate in their personal capacities include expressing opinions about candidates and issues, campaign for or against candidates in partisan elections, and attend political fundraising functions.

DoD civilian employees may also make campaign speeches for candidates, attend and be active at political activities and meetings, sign nominating petitions, hold office in political clubs or parties, be a candidate for public office in nonpartisan elections, and register and vote as they choose.

As Air Force members and DoD civilian employees we must be cognizant of the extent of our participation in the political process to ensure that our nation's military remains a neutral entity in this year's election.

Those with questions concerning political activities should contact the Beale Legal Office at 634-2928.

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Ms. Peace has consistently provided Team Beale with a solid military-civilian community relationship. She has also contributed to Team Beale in the Save Beale campaign, raising money for the troops and garnering help for Child Development Center improvements.

A commemorative official photo of Ms. Peace is now on display in the 9th RW Conference Room alongside the four High Flyers preceding her: The first four High Flyers were: #1 Judge Changaris, #2 Ron Bartoli, #3 Anthony (Tony) Bevacqua and #4 Doug Sloan.



Brig. Gen. Lawrence Wells, 9th RW commander, presents Fran Peace with a letter of appreciation from Congressman Wally Herger. (Photo by John Schwab)

Recent law requires addition to emergency data card

RANDOLPH AIR FORCE BASE, Texas - Airmen must designate one immediate family member as the person authorized to direct disposition of their remains should they become a casualty.

The PADD designation will become a part of the member's Record of Emergency Data as required by law.

Most Airmen will add their PADD information to their virtual Record of Emergency Data by following the instructions in the Virtual MPF.

Personnel at deployed locations need to contact their personnel support for contingency operations team to update their record.

Organizations using the DD Form 93 or the United States Air Force Academy Form 0143 to record emergency data must ensure Airmen are briefed on this new requirement and designate their PADD in the remarks section.

PADD information should include the designated person's name, relationship to

member, address with zip code and telephone number.

The PADD will be responsible for the disposition of remains only. The member is still required to designate separately the recipient(s) of any other benefits and entitlements.

Airmen, identified by the last digit in their Social Security Number, must update their records by the following dates:

- 1 - March 28 to April 3
- 2 - April 4 to 10
- 3 - April 11 to 14
- 4 - April 15 to 19
- 5 - April 20 to 24
- 6 - April 25 to 28
- 7 - April 29 to May 3
- 8 - May 4 to 9
- 9 - May 10 to 15
- 0 - May 16 to 22

For more information or for questions concerning the PADD designation, call the Air Force Contact Center at (800) 616-3775.

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"What is your favorite spare-time activity?"



Master Sgt. Steve Fernaays, 9th Logistics Readiness Squadron Fuels Information Service Center section chief

"Normally my family and I go to the pool. At this time of the year though, I'd say the base theater."



Staff Sgt. Kent Umiat, 9th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron communications security manager

"My family and I like to go bowling. In the summer, it's the pool."



Staff Sgt. Mickerl Jones, 9th Maintenance Squadron aerospace propulsion craftsman

"My friends have been shooting at the range. I think I'm going to start doing that. Other than that, I like playing basketball and just getting up with friends."



Staff Sgt. Joel Adair, 9th Physiological Support Squadron life support technician

"I like spending time with the family. We play a lot of sports, especially basketball."



Capt. Fred Dohnke, 18th Reconnaissance Squadron assistant director of operations

"I play guitar and ride my motorcycle."

Community Briefs

Deadline for High Flyer submissions

The deadline for submissions to the High Flyer is Friday the week prior to the desired publication date. Submissions are printed based on a space available basis.

Any submissions submitted after the deadline will not be published until the next week. News briefs will run for no more than three consecutive weeks. For questions or more information, call 634-8887.

Recruitment for lifeguards

The Air Force Personnel Center is now accepting applications for lifeguards. The Summer Swim Program will hire one full-time Lead Recreation Aid, two part-time Lead Recreation Aids and 12 intermittent Recreation Aids. Applicants must be 16 years of age, provide school enrollment verification documents and be a United States' citizen. The lead lifeguard requires lifeguard certification, covering lifesaving and water rescuing methods, skills and procedures, basic First Aid Certification, and CPR certification for adults, children, and infants. These positions are subject to satisfactory completion of a pre-employment physical

and background check under the Child Care Act. To apply or see that all the requirements for the job are met visit the AFPC Web site at www.afpc.randolph.af.mil/afjobs. For more information or for questions, call Rosie Gonzalez at 634-2249.

Enlisted dining in

The enlisted dining in has been scheduled for April 28 at the Community Center. Social hour is from 6 to 7 p.m. with dinner to follow. The menu includes stuffed chicken or prime beef and the cost has not yet been determined. The theme is "Enlisted firsts." For more information, contact your First Sergeant.

Estate claims for Capt. Heidi Palmer

Any person or persons having claims for or against the estate of Captain Heidi Palmer, assigned to the 940th Civil Engineer Squadron, Beale Air Force Base, California, should contact the Summary Court Officer, Lt. Col. Tim McCoy, at 634-1802.

Volunteer of the Quarter

The Volunteer of the Quarter award has been established to recognize Beale

personnel for their volunteer service and enhance their visibility throughout the base. This award consists of four different categories: military, civilian, community and youth volunteer.

All military, federal civilians, family members and retirees are eligible to be submitted for the award. Awards should be submitted on the Air Force Form 1206, Nomination for award, in an original and four copies. Nominations should be five to 10 bullet statements highlighting the volunteer's most significant accomplishments within the January through March quarter.

All packages are due to the Family Support Center by Thursday. For more information, call Elizabeth Kim at 634-2863.

Patient shuttle service to Travis

The 9th Medical Group now offers both a morning and afternoon shuttle service between Beale and the David Grant Medical Center at Travis Air Force Base for medical appointments.

Active-duty members must have a government license to operate the shuttle. To reserve a seat in the shuttle or for more information, call 634-4001. Seats on the shuttle must be reserved

no later than two duty days prior to departure.

New Brown Bag University class

An Introduction to Speech class from Brown Bag University will begin in August in the 9th Maintenance Squadron conference room in Building 1086. The class is offered by Yuba College and is held during lunch, four days a week for nine weeks. For more information or to sign up, e-mail brian.schick@beale.af.mil. A minimum of 15 people are needed.

0-0-1-3 Design Competition

The Beale 0-0-1-3 committee is holding a competition to design a street sign. The idea behind this competition is to promote, educate and remind the community on the benefits of 0-0-1-3. The winner will receive \$50.

The sign will be placed at the exit of some of the gates. Entries must be submitted no later than today. For more information or to submit a design, e-mail richard.potocki@beale.af.mil.

Chapel job openings

The Chapel has openings for the fol-

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lowing positions: pianist for the Protestant Praise service, two openings for child care providers and one for an accounting technician. For more information, call Tech. Sgt. Greg Volkman or Ch. (Maj.) Linda Olson at 634-4701.

TAP workshop

The next Transition Assistance Program workshop is scheduled for April 3 through 7, Monday from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Tuesday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The workshop is designed to help members make a smooth transition into the civilian community and find employment faster.

Members who are separating must also complete a mandatory pre-separation briefing. A draft resume is also needed for the workshop. The TAP will help people learn about VA benefits and have their medical record reviewed. For more information, call the FSC at 634-2863.

E-TAP workshop

This TAP seminar is scheduled from April 25 through 28 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and is open to senior enlisted (E-7

to E-9) and officers (O3 and above). Spouses can register and attend with military member. This workshop focuses on positions with higher level of responsibility and has medical record review plus VA benefits. For more information, call the FSC at 634-2863.

Retiree Information desk volunteers needed

The Retiree Information desk in the lobby of the clinic is in need of two or three people for three-hour shifts Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Any adult with an ID card is qualified. For more information leave a note in the clinic lobby or call John Lanigan at 821-0529.

General Arnold Education grant

Anyone who has applied for the Air Force Aid Society General Arnold Education grant, by return mail may have gotten a packet with a Family Financial Data Form. It is a supplemental form seeking specific financial information and a grade point average verification

form.

Do not neglect to fill these out; it is part 2 of the application. Complete both forms and mail them in immediately. The receipt deadline is April 15. For more information, call the Family Support Center at 634-2863.

Airman's Attic

The Airman's Attic is open to assist airmen basic to staff sergeants who are new to Team Beale or have unexpected family situations that arise, free of charge. Stop by 5114-A Tern Court (near the housing fire station) and see what they have to offer. The Attic is open Mondays and Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Fridays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

For emergencies, the Attic is available after hours through the unit first sergeants. Military ID cards are required at check in. Donations and volunteers are always needed. For more information, call 788-2993.

USDA food pickup

The USDA Food Pickup is held the last Friday of every month for Beale

housing residents. All pickups are at the Foothills Chapel in base housing. Pickup times are from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. For information, call 634-5938.

Education Center

The Beale Training and Education Center offers an extensive array of on-base programs. The center is open Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Call 634-2525 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

Volunteer opportunity

Mercy Housing, a non-profit agency providing affordable housing to families that are economically challenged, is once again requesting Team Beale volunteers to help tutor and mentor youth in an after-school program. Tutors are needed in grades 5 through 12 to tutor basic studies such as math, English and some sciences.

This is an on-going commitment during the school year. For more information, call Margaret Norton at 674-8130 or email at mnorton@mercy-housing.org.

February Article 15s

The following enlisted personnel were given Article 15s during February:

A 9th Communications Squadron airman first class received a reduction to airman, forfeiture of \$250 pay per month for two months and a reprimand for violating Article 111 - driving under the influence.

A 9th Logistics Readiness Squadron airman first class received a reduction to airman and a reprimand for violating Article 92 - underage drinking.

A 12th Reconnaissance Squadron airman first class received a reduction to airman basic and a reprimand for violating Article 112a - wrongfully using prescription drugs.

A 9th Munitions Squadron airman first class received a reduction to airman basic, with reduction below Airman suspended, and a reprimand for violating Article 86 - going from an appointed place of duty.

A 9th Operations Support Squadron senior airman received a reduction to airman first class and a reprimand for violating Article 134 - adultery.

A 9th Operations Support Squadron staff sergeant received a reduction to senior airman, 30 days extra duty and a reprimand for violating Article 134 - adultery.

A 9th Operations Support Squadron senior airman received a reduction to air-

man first class and a reprimand for violating Article 128 - simple assault and Article 134 - adultery.

A 9th Operations Support Squadron senior airman received a reduction to airman first class, 30 extra duty days and reprimand for violating Article 128 - simple assault.

A 13th Intelligence Squadron airman first class received a suspended reduction to airman, 30 extra duty days and a reprimand for violating Article 121 - larceny of government property.

A 48th Intelligence Squadron senior airman received a vacation of suspended punishment reducing the member to airman first class for violating Article 86 - failure to go.

A 9th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron airman first class received a reduction to airman, 30 extra duty days with 15 days suspended and a reprimand for violating Article 92 - underage drinking.

A 9th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron airman first class received a reduction to airman basic, with reduction below Airman suspended, 30 days restriction to Beale Air Force Base and a reprimand for violating Article 86 - failure to go and Article 92 - disobeying a lawful order.

A 9th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron staff sergeant received a reduction to senior airman, 30 days extra duty and a reprimand for violating Article 86 - failure to go, Article 92 - derelict in engaging in a unprofessional relationship and Article 107 - false official statement.

A 9th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron senior airman received a suspended reduction to airman first class, forfeiture \$100 pay per month for two months and a reprimand for violating Article 107 - false official statement.

A 9th Security Forces Squadron senior airman received a reduction to airman first class and a reprimand for violating Article 121 - larceny.

A 9th Security Forces Squadron airman first class received a reduction to Airman and six extra duty days for violating Article 107 - false official statement and Article 134 - wrongfully altering an identification card.

Commanders may suspend all or part of a punishment for up to six months. If the member fails to meet a condition of the suspension, the commander can remove the suspension and impose the punishment.

For example, a member is given a suspended reduction to Airman on Feb 1. On March 1, that same member fails to meet a condition of the suspension. The commander can impose the punishment that was suspended and the member is then reduced to Airman effective Feb. 1, the date of the original action. This action is called "vacating" the suspension.

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Foothills Chapel

*15001 Camp Beale Highway
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Protestant "Praise" worship service
Sundays, 9 a.m.

(includes "Parents' Nursery" and
children's church)

Catholic Mass

Sundays, 10:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Catholic Reconciliation

Sundays, 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Catholic daily Mass

Mondays through Fridays, 11:30 a.m.

Valley Chapel

6199 C St. (Main base)

Islamic worship

Every other Friday, 1 p.m.

Gospel Protestant worship service

Sundays, 11 a.m.

(includes children's church)

Protestant Programs: Sunday School (10:30 a.m.) at Lone Tree Elementary. AWANA on Mondays and JV-Varsity on Tuesdays, 6-8 p.m. at Foothills Chapel. Protestant Youth meets Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m. at the Valley Chapel and Sundays at 6:30 p.m. at Foothills Chapel.

Protestant Bible Study Groups: Men - Second & fourth Sunday, Valley, 5 p.m. and Wednesday, Valley, 7 p.m. Women - Tuesday, 9-11 a.m. Foothills (children welcome) Thursday, 6:45 to 8 p.m., Valley.

Catholic Programs: Religious Education - preschool-12, Sundays 9 a.m. at Lone Tree Elementary School. RCIA, Catholic Youth, CWOC, CMOC and Adult Bible Study call Leila at 634-4707.

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers): Second & fourth Thursdays at Foothills Chapel.

Questions concerning marriages, baptisms, choirs, Navigators, and Officer Christian Fellowship can be directed to the chapel staff at 634-4701.

Beale Bijou

634-2521



Friday evening The Pink Panther (PG)

Steve Martin, Beyonce' Knowles

A world-famous soccer coach has been murdered and his priceless, legendary ring has been stolen—a ring set with the stunning diamond known as the “Pink Panther.” The French government needs a master detective to solve the crime and recover the gem—but he’s not available, so they recruit none other than Inspector Jacques Clouseau.



Saturday matinee Curious George (PG)

Will Ferrell, Drew Barrymore

The adventures of Curious George, the inquisitive little guy with an insatiable taste for adventure. George’s spunky and fun-loving nature endears him to new friends, but also lands him in a series of (mis-) adventures.



Saturday evening The Pink Panther (PG)

Steve Martin, Beyonce' Knowles



Wednesday 6 p.m. Firewall (PG-13)

Harrison Ford, Paul Bettany

Jack is a bank security expert, whose specialty is designing infallible theft-proof financial computer systems. But there’s a hidden vulnerability in the system he didn’t account for - himself. When a ruthless criminal mastermind kidnaps his family, Jack is forced to find a flaw in his system and steal \$100 million. With the lives of his wife and children at stake and under constant surveillance he has only hours to find a loophole in the thief’s own impenetrable system of subterfuge and false identities to beat him at his own game.

Rules, regs in place to keep temporary food facilities safe

By the Public Health Office

It’s the time of year when base-wide organizations plan bake sales and barbecues. But before these organizations can sell food products, there are a few safety concerns that need to be addressed.

Personal hygiene, food preparation techniques and basic facility standards all need to be reviewed prior to making or serving food on base, even for a simple one-day operation.

The person in charge of the event must call Public Health at 634-4771 or come by the office at the Beale Medical Clinic to get recommendations to ensure the event is disease-free.

A foodborne illness in the Beale community could prevent a person from performing their mission or leave them sick for several days.

Here are a few guidelines for temporary food booth operations:

Personal Hygiene

1. Wash hands before handling food, after using the bathroom, after smoking and after handling money or raw meats, prior to touching other foods.

2. Smoking or eating is not permitted in food preparation and serving areas; drinking is allowed only if in a spill-proof container.

3. Remove all watches, bracelets and rings (except plain bands) while working in the food preparation area.

4. Do not touch ready-to-eat foods with bare hands; use utensils or gloves.

5. Sick employees cannot work in the food booth/area. This also pertains to employees who have open sores or cuts on hands.

6. Everyone preparing or serving food must wear a hair restraint (such as a hair net, hat, or cap) to prevent hair from falling into the food.

7. Food preparation personnel must wear clean outer garments with sleeves (no tank tops).

Food Preparation

1. Only ingredients and food items purchased from an approved source may be used. The Commissary and Base Exchange are both approved sources.

2. All foods must be kept cold (below 41 F) or hot (above 135 F)— especially foods that contain milk products, eggs, meat, poultry, fish, or shellfish.

3. When conducting a food sale, cooking items at a private home is not permitted due to the fact that Public Health can not inspect the kitchens, check temperatures, and see how the food is prepared.

4. Bottled water must

come from approved sources, such as the Commissary or Base Exchange. This includes ice for consumption and packing. Water from private or public kitchens and base dining facilities are the best to use. Water from building outdoor faucets should not be used as it is very difficult to sanitize the spickets.

5. All food items must be covered to prevent contamination from air and dust. Do not store foods on the ground or in direct sunlight.

Facility Requirements

1. There must be an adequate water supply, liquid soap, disposable towels, a hand washing set-up, and sanitizing solution.

2. There must be clean wipe cloths maintained in chlorine solution (1 capful of bleach for every gallon of water) for sanitizing food contact surfaces and utensils.

3. Plan how trash and refuse will be disposed of during and after the event (preferably a trash can with liner in the booth/area).

4. All individuals handling, cooking, and serving food must read and be trained on all the above guidance by the person in charge of the event.

For questions or more information, contact Public Health at 634-4771.

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Beale welcomes new 'commanders'

Base program provides interaction with local community

By Airman Robert Biermann
9th RW Public Affairs

Seven of Beale's surrounding community members were inducted into the Honorary Commanders' Program during a commanders' luncheon Thursday at the Recce Point Club.

The individuals who were highlighted during this luncheon ranged from bankers and business leaders to a chaplain.

The inductees included Rotary Club International representative and 18th Reconnaissance Squadron honorary commander, Kathy Egenes, Sierra Central Credit Union representative and 9th Munitions Squadron honorary commander, John Cassidy, Nelia Oil Company representative and 9th Maintenance Squadron honorary commander, Thomas Dwelle, Citizen Bank of Nevada representative and 9th Maintenance Operations Squadron honorary commander, Anita Daniels, Fremont-Rideout Health Group representative and 9th Communications Squadron honorary commander, Pamela Norr, Calvary Temple representative and 9th Reconnaissance Wing honorary chaplain, Michael Ciociola, and First Command representative and 548th Intelligence Group honorary commander, Chuck Cinnamon.

"I've always been close to the maintenance squadron," said Mr. Dwelle. "I owe this to the old master sergeant who trained me when I was a second lieutenant."

Mr. Dwelle and his son, Ken, flew in for the ceremony from Auburn in their vintage T-6 Texans.

"To me a plane is a living, breathing thing," Mr. Dwelle said. "If you treat her right, she'll always bring you home."

Also among the newly inducted honorary commanders was Ms. Egenes.

"I'm thrilled and honored by this," said Ms. Egenes. "I look forward to pulling Grass Valley on base and the base into Grass Valley."

The vision of the program is to build even stronger relationships with the community.

The program aligns the Team Beale with local civic leaders and is designed to increase awareness and understanding of the base and local communities through orienting individuals in the missions, people and operations of one another's organizations.

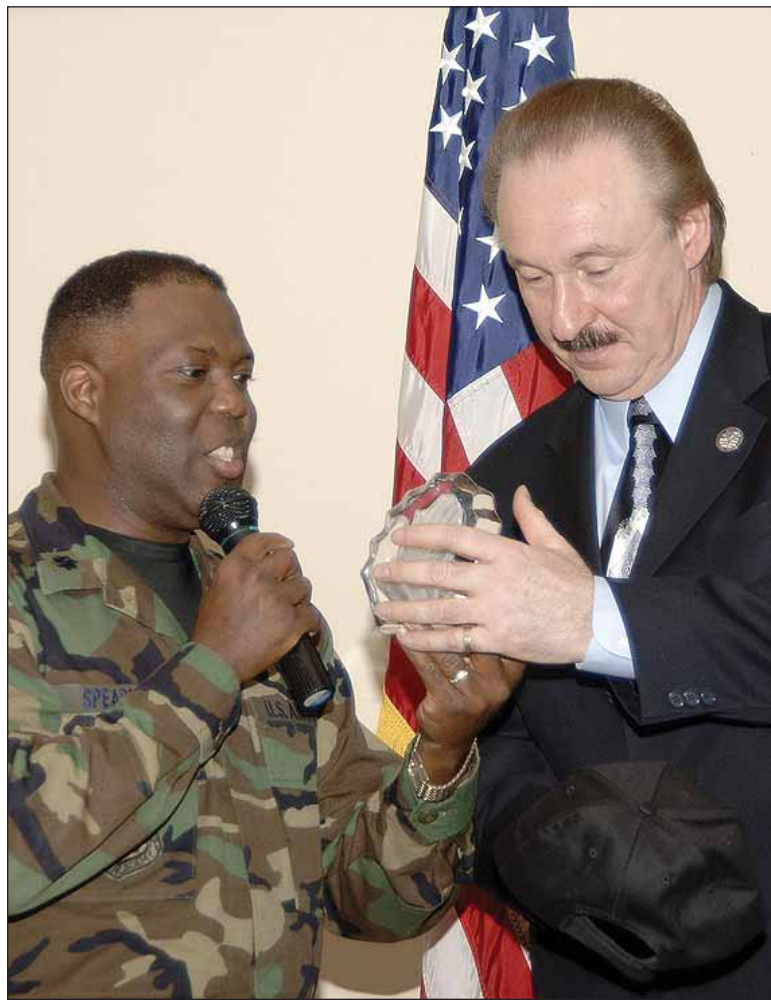
All commanders and wing staff agency chiefs are invited to be a part of the program.

Ideally, honorary commanders will share a similar interest or profession, but may request to be part of a specific group or squadron.

Beale units include their honorary commander in events such as changes of command, promotion and retirement ceremonies, commanders' calls, holiday celebrations and training opportunities. Honorary commanders are integrated as members of the host unit and are provided a host unit tour. The Beale commanders also act as active ambassadors for the local community when interacting with the base.

In turn, honorary commanders are requested to similarly orient their Beale commander in their activities such as annual company picnics. Honorary commanders also participate in group or squadron events when invited, and act as proactive supporters of the unit for which they are honorary commanders.

After Thursday's ceremony, 30 honorary commanders have been inducted.



(Top) Tom Dwelle, 9th Maintenance Squadron honorary commander, speaks with 9th MXS troops about his experiences in the Air Force. (Above) Mr. Dwelle and his son, Ken, flew in for the ceremony from Auburn in their vintage T-6 Texans.

(Left) Lt. Col. Richard Spearman, 9th Reconnaissance Wing Chaplain, inducts Chaplain Michael Ciociola as a 9th RW honorary chaplain and presents him with a gift of "praying hands."

U-2 maintainers boast streaking hot record



Staff Sgt. Nathan Stillwell, 99th Aircraft Maintenance Unit, inspects the inside of a U-2 intake after a mission at a forward-deployed location. Sergeant Stillwell is deployed from Beale. (Photo by Tech. Sgt. Andrew Leonhard)

*By Tech. Sgt. Andrew Leonhard
380th Air Expeditionary Wing
Public Affairs*

SOUTHWEST ASIA — In the world of sports, there have been some incredible streaks. Cal Ripken Jr. played in 2,632 consecutive major league baseball games. Lance Armstrong was victorious in seven Tour de France races. Football great Johnny Unitas threw at least one touchdown pass in 47 straight games.

But none of these streaks compare to the impact that one unit is having on the war on terrorism. The 99th Aircraft Maintenance Unit is working on a streak of more than 155 consecutive launches without a maintenance-related cancel to meet the air tasking order for the U-2 “Dragonlady.” What this means is commanders on the ground are getting the most accurate information they need to plan and operate.

“The maintenance crews know the importance of getting the aircraft off the ground,” said Master Sgt. Craig VanValken-

burgh, 99th AMU production supervisor. “Day in and day out, they perform, and when in a pinch, it’s their awesome teamwork that gets the job done.”

One member of that team is Staff Sgt. Matthew Kelly. He knows every rotation runs into problems, such as learning the way things get done here and what is expected of each person.

“But when you have a great team of crew chiefs, specialists and contractors who are as skilled and dedicated as the ones I work with every day, everything seems to run smooth without a hitch,” he said. “After all the hard work that we put in and knowing the importance of each mission the U-2 flies, that’s when you really start to appreciate what you do.”

Another U-2 crew chief who appreciates the dedication of the entire team also knows the jet favors the types of mission it’s flying here.

“The planes are truly better suited for these longer missions, than the short touch and

goes and around the flagpole flights they do back at home,” said Staff Sgt. Nathan Stillwell, who’s been at Beale Air Force Base, Calif., with the program for seven and a half years.

“Mostly we have minor things that have to be done to the aircraft after a mission, such as intake inspections, oil sampling, tire inspection and pulling panels to do a few other required checks,” he said.

Foreign object damage is always an issue, Sergeant Stillwell said, and the entire team works together to make sure the area is spotless.

The 99th AMU team has had a remarkable mission success rate since the end of 2005. Their supervision and operations section that plans out the mission schedule and day-to-day tasks, are second to none, he said.

They keep completing their maintenance mission and provide a ready-to-fly aircraft to the pilots, each person knowing that what they are doing is more than just about some streak. It’s about “One Team, One Fight.”

DOD working to prevent sexual assaults

*By Rudi Williams
American Forces Press Service*

WASHINGTON — Sexual assault is one of the most underreported crimes in the military and in society as a whole, a defense personnel and readiness official said.

“Some studies indicate that only five percent of sexual assaults are reported,” said Air Force Brig. Gen. K.C. McClain, who heads the Department of Defense Joint Task Force for Sexual Assault Prevention and Response.

“The highest number we’ve ever seen is about 35 percent. We don’t know where DOD fits in that range, but we’re in there somewhere,” General McClain said during the DOD Women’s History Month observance at the women’s memorial March 21.

General McClain is the single point of accountability for DOD sexual assault policy matters. The task force, stood up in October 2004, develops policy and programs to improve prevention efforts, enhance victim support, and increase offender accountability. A DOD directive on the issue was published a year later and an instruction that expands on the directive is expected to be published soon.

One task force goal was to remove barriers that prevent victims from reporting sexual assault, General McClain said.

“Immediately following a sexual assault, there is an

overwhelming sense of loss of control and a sense of powerlessness,” she said. “For many, the thought of participating in the investigative process is so overwhelming that they chose to get no care rather than to go through that investigative process.”

McClain said sexual assault turns the victim’s world upside down and the trauma of being assaulted is a shock from which many victims may never fully recover.

“And the thought that you’re going to have to talk to your commander, supervisor, the investigators — all these people are going to know,” she said. “That’s overwhelming for some people, and they don’t want to deal with it.”

She said some barriers that prevent victims from reporting sexual assault include embarrassment, shame and not wanting anyone to know what happened to them. Sometimes not understanding the process or misconceptions of what’s going to happen prevent individuals from coming forward.

To help overcome these barriers to reporting, DOD in 2005 introduced a “restrictive reporting” option to victims of sexual assault. Victims can come forward and seek counseling and other treatment, but can choose to not have a criminal investigation into the assault opened.

The general said sometimes victims’ initial reaction is: “Stop! Leave me alone! I don’t want to see anybody!

I don’t want to do anything!” However, after having time to gather their strength and resources, many victims think about what happened to them and decide to participate in an investigation, General McClain said.

A 2005 report to Congress stated that the number of reported sexual assaults in the military increased by almost 40 percent between 2004 and 2005, General McClain said. The 1,700 cases reported in 2004 climbed to 2,374 in 2005, an increase of 674 cases.

“Of those 2,374 reports, 435 were restrictive reporting,” she said. “So in a six-month period, in a brand new program that was still being implemented, we still had 435 people who were willing to come forward.”

Of those who chose restrictive reports initially, a quarter later changed their minds and allowed investigations to proceed.

“Although we hate that we have any sexual assaults, we do think that these numbers indicate that our programs are working,” General McClain said. “We’re still in the implementation stage, so we’re not claiming victory, because we know we still have a long ways to go.”

General McClain noted that the DOD theme for Sexual Assault Awareness Month, which is April, is “Sexual Assault Prevention Begins with You.” She emphasized that sexual assault is not tolerated in DOD.

If you have been sexually assaulted, you can contact the base sexual assault response coordinator at 634-4400.

Enter Beale's funny photo caption contest!

Be a featured caption writer for this week's photo. The author whose caption receives the most laughs from the judges will have their caption published in next week's High Flyer. Here's how to enter:

1 Write an imaginative, humorous, appropriate caption for the featured photo.

2 E-mail entries to high.flyer@beale.af.mil or fax entries to 634-8895 by noon Tuesday.

3 To be eligible, you must include the photo number of the contest on your entry. Also, please include your name and commercial phone number.

4 Contest winners are announced weekly.

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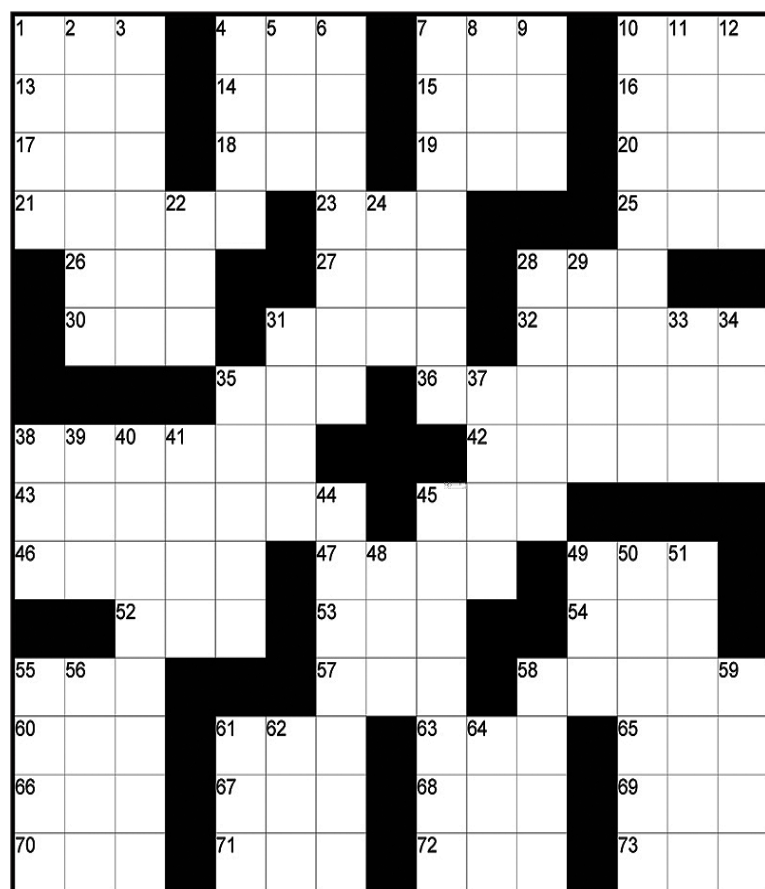
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Last week's winner: "I can't believe we are going to be on the cover of *All Hands*!" (Trevor Guillory, 9th SDS)



Photo 13

E-mail submissions to
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Acronym Buster (pt. 1)

By Capt. Tony Wickman

71th Flying Training Wing PA

ACROSS

1. Music items
4. Mil. pay entitlement for food
7. What about ___?
10. 21st letter of the Hebrew alphabet
13. Mil. person in charge of NCOIC
14. USAF MAJCOM
15. Dine
16. USAF Sgt.
17. Mil. representative at another command, organization
18. Place for a sailor
19. AFOTEC and USAFA are this type of USAF org.
20. Defensor Fortis; SFS mission
21. Org. that provides base exchanges
23. 19th letter of the Greek alphabet
25. USAF education; ALS, NCOA, SOS, etc.
26. Intelligence req. for CCs
27. ___ polloi: the masses
28. Plan for mil. families in case of death
30. Mil. draft org.
31. Spore-producing plant
32. Egyptian town
35. Payment method
36. Boom boxes
38. Custard filled pastry
42. Fixed in the character or disposition, as if inherited
43. Type of cargo delivery

45. Where MWDs go for checkups
 46. Interlace
 47. American linguist and author Mary Rosamond ___
 49. Civ. prosecutors
 52. 1946 Capra movie ___ a Wonderful Life
 53. Stimpy's pal
 54. Burn residue
 55. Everything
 57. USAF requirements documents; ___ 36-2903, etc.
 58. USAF MAJCOM
 60. Foot part
 61. USAF assignment site
 63. Confederate general
 65. Rated USAF Nav. Who finds, identifies and counters radars
 66. Mission performed for downed pilots
 67. USAF supervisor report issued on deployments
 68. One's fortune in life; fate
 69. Sea between Africa and Arabian Peninsula
 70. Army equivalent to OTS
 71. Type of bomb
 72. USAF legal team
 73. USAF deployment or mission
- ### DOWN
1. OCONUS Mil. pay entitlement
 2. Iraqi currency
 3. Mocks
 4. Largemouth fish
 5. Pilot with 5+ kills
 6. Injured

7. Nomadic Arabs
8. Paddle
9. Heating unit
10. More energetic
11. LGM-30G or LG-118A
12. Joint
22. Environmental req. before constructing
24. CC's region of control
28. Aroma
29. Sharp projection
31. Mil. information classification
33. Mil. acronym for how forces engage enemy forces
34. Mil. office symbol for SECDEF
35. Diamond or spades
37. Stalemates
38. Chat
39. Demeanor
40. Tankers and flatbeds
41. Use red ink
44. Expressed orally
45. 2001 Cruise movie ___ Sky
48. USAF deployment set
49. USAF civilian employee
50. Declare
51. Displayed
55. USAF guide for chem. environments
56. DoD Law of War Program
58. USAF MAJCOM
59. William F. "Buffalo Bill" ___; Wild West Show
61. The Greatest
62. A Stooze
64. USAF org. for 71 ACROSS

Beale selected for survey

The Integrated Delivery System Working Group is sponsoring the 2006 Community Assessment Survey of service members, spouses, reservists, and reserve spouses.

This survey is a way for Air Force community members to make their opinions and needs known. The results of the survey will be used by base leadership and the Air Force to target resources where they are most needed and enhance the well-being of the community.

Air Force community members at Air Force bases worldwide will be randomly selected to participate in the study. A notification letter that includes a link to the Web-based survey will be sent out to the work email address of each active duty member selected to participate (spouses will be sent a letter in the mail with the Web link).

Participation is crucial to the success of the project; selected service members are

strongly urged to take part.

"The 2006 Community Assessment Survey is a top priority," said Scott Thompson, IDS Chair. "It is the best way for us to listen to community members and then provide services to help them meet their needs and the needs of their families. It allows them to express their opinions anonymously so participants can respond openly and honestly to issues that affect them every day."

Survey responses can directly influence family services and related support activities at local bases and throughout the Air Force. In fact, results from previous Air Force Community Assessments have impacted the policies and programs that support families at every level of the Air Force, to include:

- * Expanding financial counseling programs to members and their families

- * Develop a user-friendly support network for AF sin-

gle parents

- * Set up marriage support seminars for junior enlisted members and their spouses

"The 2006 Community Assessment Survey provides community members a wonderful opportunity to improve the Air Force Community," Scott Thompson said. We hope those selected will do everything they can to respond to the survey as quickly as possible."

As part of a Department of Defense sponsored initiative, this year's Community Assessment, along with some supplemental questions, will be used to direct additional resources to help service members and families base-wide. Base agencies will be working with researchers to ensure that this year's survey results are used to maximum benefit.

For questions regarding the 2006 Community Assessment, contact your local Integrated Delivery System Chair.



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Solutions to March 24 puzzle



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Want to know what's going on at Beale? The **9th Services Squadron** has its own website that lists all the current events and activities; from the Club's parties to OAC's adventures, from the Community Center's events to the Youth Center's activities, the bealeservices.com has it all! There is information on the Library, Harris Fitness Center, Bowling Center and Aero Club. You name it, we've got it. Just log on to **www.bealeservices.com**. You'll find up-to-date information on Lodging or Camping, ITT for tickets, Rod and Gun activities, Auto Hobby and Arts & Crafts Center.

The website is there for you. Want to know all the details about a specific event? Go to “Current Events”—we list the date, time, location, target audience, price, signup deadline, and all pertinent information. In addition to the Current events page, we have links to the latest Stratosphere, and the High Flyer’s Services pages.

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Youth of the Year awarded Third Year in a Row

Brigadier General Wells presented Kristin Wakefield the Youth of the Year award on March 22nd at the Beale Youth Center. The Youth of the Year program is designated to promote and recognize service to the Boys and Girls Club and community, academic performance, contributions to family and spiritual life. Kristin was awarded Youth of the Year for three years in a row: 2004, Davis Monthan AFB, 2005, Beale AFB (Northern Regional Youth of the Year Nominee), and 2006, Beale AFB. Kristin will represent Beale AFB at an annual Youth of the Year Award Ceremony in Washington, DC in June this year.

This 18-year-old is a busy person. She goes to school full time at Wheatland High School, works part time at Anthony's Pizza, helps out with her family and somehow manages to volunteer hundreds of hours to the community. When asked how she felt about receiving the award, she replied,

"It's exciting to get recognition for my accomplishments." She said her most rewarding deed was working with children, "I love working with kids. T-Ball, little league, Space and Rocket, and Volleyball Camp were the most rewarding for me."

Ms. Wakefield is a great conservationist, involving herself with collecting and recycling cans and bottles, and cleaning up the environment. She's conducted food drives and has volunteered over 250 hours of community service. She's earned a \$1000 scholarship for college and received the Bank of America Award. Kristin has been a Girl Scout since kindergarten. She received her Girl Scout Gold Award, which is the highest award a girl can earn as a Senior Scout. She is currently working towards the Congressional Award. Kristin wants to have her CPA and work as an accountant. Her biggest influence is her family. "My family is very supportive to me. They

taught me to treat people the way I want to be treated, that if you help somebody, in return, they will help you." Kristin also gives credit to the Boys and Girls Club, "The Club's been very essential to my growing up and has helped me develop into the person that I am today. It has taught me teamwork skills, creativity, sportsmanship and other things to lead a successful life. My parents and the Club have taught me to be a better person, how to treat myself and how to treat others." Kristin has many aspirations. So far her accomplishment are more than most people have in a life time. Congratulations to Kristin Wakefield



Kristin Wakefield accepts Youth of the Year award from Brigadier General Wells.

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If you have a youth that is interested in volunteering their time, contact the Youth Center at 634-4953 for guidance. They have many programs to assist children in making their dreams come true.

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April 13th • 3:00pm, Ages 9-18

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Food Service Worker	CDC
Laborer	Lodging
Lifeguard	Pools (OAC)
Recreation Aid	Outdoor Adventure Center
Recreation Specialist	Outdoor Adventure Center
Sales Clerk	Auto Hobby
Swim Instructor	Pools (OAC)
Training Specialist	9th Services Squadron

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